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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page,

Item [75], Inventor, Lukashov's residence should read -- Diemeu (NL) --.

Item [56], References Cited, OTHER PUBLICATIONS, should include -- Sommer and Tautz, "Minimal homology requirements for PCR primers," Nucleic Acids Research, Vol. 17, No. 16, page 6749, 1989.\* --.

Item [74], Attorney, Agent, or Firm, should read -- Myers, Bigel, Sibley & Sajovec, P.A. --.

Column 3,

Line 45, should read -- 1985 and in European Patents no. EP 200362 and EP --.

Column 12,

Line 27, should read -- (R9612222) was detected and quantitated (29.500 RNA --.

Line 1, should read -- SEQ ID 4: CTG CTT AAA GCC TCA ATA AA; and --.

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